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For: TRANSDERMAL DRUG DELIVERY  
DEVICES HAVING COATED  
MICROPROTRUSIONS

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Amendment is filed in response to the final Office Action dated July 30, 2008 ("the Office Action"). A petition and fee for a three-month Extension of Time is submitted herewith. Also submitted herewith is Notice of Appeal. Please charge any necessary fees required in connection with the paper transmitted herewith to Deposit Account No. 04-1105, Reference No.: 80929(303655).

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on **page 2** of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on **page 10** of this paper.

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